You and Your Friends Are Cordially Invited

to Attend the

JOINT ANNUAL INSTALLATION

of Officers of

DARIUS-GIRENAS POST NO. 271

and

LADIES AUXILIARY UNIT

The American Legion

Saturday Evening, September 21, 1946

at 7:30 P. M.

DARIUS-GIRENAS MEMORIAL BUILDING

4416-20 South Western Avenue

Chicago 9, Illinois

Installing Officer

WILLIAM G. BURNS

Past Commander, Cook County Council

Installing Sergeant-at-Arms

HAROLD CLELAND

Junior Vice-Commander, Fourth District

MRS. ONA BIEZIS

President Mothers Service Club
Star Spangled Banner

Presentation to Outgoing Commander

WILLIAM G. BURNS
Past Commander, Cook County Council

OFFICERS FOR 1947

JOSEPH M. JUDICKAS	Commander
JOHN J. KARALAITIS	Sr. Vice-Commander
LAWRENCE F. GUBISTA	Jr. Vice-Commander
JOHN E. VISCOUNT	Adjutant
ANTHONY H. KASPER	Finance Officer
PETER SAMKUS	Finance Secretary
JOSEPH A. KIBORT	Chaplain
JUDGE JOHN T. ZURIS	Judge Advocate
DR. STEPHEN BIEZIS	Medical Officer
ADAM M. MACARUS	Historian
MATHEW MASSEY	Service Officer
JOHN E. URBAS	Ass't. Service Officer
FRANK P. ZELIS	Sergeant-at-Arms

Retiring Commander

FRANK T. PUMPUTIS

Ladies Auxiliary Unit No. 271

Installing Officer

HELEN ZURIS

Fourth District Director
Past Treasurer of Cook County

Installing Sergeant-at-Arms

MARION NARES

Past President of Ladies Auxiliary Unit 271

OFFICERS FOR 1947

STELLA KARALAITIS	President
MARY MIKSIS	First Vice-Pres.
ALMEDA KRUEGER	Second Vice-Pres.
FRANCES CIBULSKIS	Secretary
STELLA VITAS	Treasurer
HELEN JAKUBAUSKAS	Chaplain
ANN KAZIN	Historian
PATRICIA MICKUS	Sergeant-at-Arms

Presentation to Outgoing President

MARY E. O'BRIEN
Past President of First District
Past President Cook County

Retiring President

FRANCES V. PRIHODSKI

Auxiliary Activities

OFFICERS

President ..... Stella Karalaitis
1st Vice Pres. ..... Mary Miksis
2nd Vice Pres. ..... Alemda Krueger
Secretary ..... Frances Cibulskis
Treasurer ..... Stella Vitas
Chaplain ..... Helen Jakubauskas
Historian ..... Helen Kazin
Sergeant-at-Arms ..... Patricia Mickus

Our 1st Vice President Mrs. Miksis is very busy with her drive for new members. Child Welfare Chairman, Mrs. Helen Lucas remembered the children at Horner Hall. She presented them with valentines and treats for St. Valentine Day.

Rehabilitation Chairman, Ann Haverlock wishes to acknowledge receipt of six pairs of glasses which will be forwarded to Dixon Hospital. Since the patients are in great need of glasses, it is suggested that you turn in your unecessary glasses. Old frames are welcome, too.

Veteran' Craft Shop Chairman, Sophie Petrosius reports a sale of O. T. articles in the amount of $24.45 on February 19, 1947.

On February 24, 1947 Mrs. Karalaitis, Mrs. Haverlock and Mrs. Kazin arranged a display of articles made by hospitalized veterans at VA hospitals. Some of the patients have this as their only means of earning a living for their families. The three lady committee sold articles in the amount of $18.35. The Auxiliary wishes to extend its sincere thanks to the members purchasing the handcraft merchandise.

Mrs. Helen Mason reports that Dorothy Mason Reksnis is recovering after her recent operation. She also wishes to extend the sympathy of the entire membership to Mrs. Catherine Marozas and Mrs. John Yankauskas and their families in their moments of bereavement.

The Rehabilitation Chairman also wishes to inform the members of the Auxiliary of a recent visit to Hines Hospital on January 29, 1947. The Chairman with the able assistance of Mrs. Karalaitis and Mrs. Sophie Petrosius had treats for 215 boys in wards G1 and G3. They distributed 54 pair white socks, pencils, writing paper and stamps, and cigarettes and candy. The treats cost $94.00

JUNIORS' OFFICERS

President ..... Joyce Mason
1st Vice Pres. ..... Helen Thomas
Secretary ..... Mary Kareiva
Treasurer ..... Joan Rachus
Historian ..... Carol Chesna
Chaplain ..... Carol Karalaitis
Sergeant-at-Arms ..... Alice Wagoner

The Chairman for the JUNIORS is Mrs. Marion Nares.

AUXILIARY HOLDS AMERICANISM MEETING

The Ladies Auxiliary held an open meeting on February 19, 1947. We were proud to have amongst our guests Commander J. Judickas, Mrs. Eva Palm, finance officer of Cook County Council and Mr. E. Libonati.

Mrs. Palm reviewed the many fields of activity in which the members of the auxiliary may participate. Mr. Libonati gave a very inspiring talk on tolerance, unity and urged everyone to strive to keep America the great country that it is.

We regret that many legionnaires missed this meeting. We would not want to believe that Ash Wednesday was the cause.

Many thanks to all that attended this meeting. And a special bouquet to Mrs. Martha Lipski for pinch hitting for Helen Kareiva, Americanism Chairman, who was ill.

DARIUS-GIRENAS BULLETIN

Don't Miss the

BEAUTY CONTEST

AT THE

EASTER SUNDAY DANCE

Sponsored by the Darius-Girenas Bowling League

Sunday, April 6, 1947

DARIUS-GIRENAS MEMORIAL HALL

4416 South Western Avenue